


$\Sigma$  - surface,  $\chi(\Sigma) < 0$

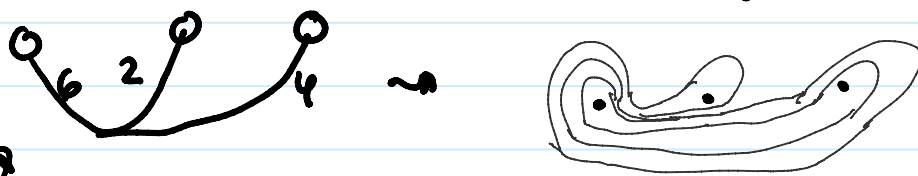
$\Gamma(\Sigma) = \text{Diffeo}^+(\Sigma) / \text{isotopy}$  - the mapping class group

$\Gamma(\Sigma) \curvearrowright \{ \text{simple closed (multi)curves on } \Sigma \}$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $g$


e.g.  $\Sigma =$    $\Gamma(\Sigma) \cong \mathcal{B}_g$

$g \in \Gamma(\Sigma)$

⊕ Q: How do curves grow under  $g$ ?



Say  $g = \sigma_1^{-1} \sigma_2$  a composition of Dehn twists

preserves curves of the form  and transforms

by  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Warning Action of  $\mathcal{B}_g$  on  $\mathbb{Z}_+^2$  by them is only piecewise

Warning Action of  $\text{Pog}$  on  $\mathbb{Z}_+^2$  by then is only piecewise linear.

$$\textcircled{\text{II}} \Gamma(\Sigma) \curvearrowright \text{Teich}(\Sigma) = (\text{hyperbolic metrics on } \Sigma) / \sim$$

$\parallel$   
 open ball

$\textcircled{\text{I}}$  and  $\textcircled{\text{II}}$  are closely related

$$\Gamma(\Sigma) \curvearrowright \overline{\text{Teich}} = \text{Teich} \sqcup \text{PMF}$$

$\parallel$                        $\uparrow$                        $\uparrow$   
 closed ball            open ball            sphere

PMF = {proj-ve measured foliations}

A simple closed curve gives a point in PMF

Let  $S = \{ \text{simple closed multicurve on } \Sigma \}$

$\gamma \in \text{Teich}$ , can think  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}^S$ , so

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Teich} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}_{>0}^S \\ \gamma \mapsto & (c \mapsto & l_\gamma(c)) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}_{>0}^S \\ c \mapsto & (c' \mapsto \# \text{int}(cnc')) & \text{(Not signed!)} \end{array}$$

In fact,

$$\text{Teich} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}^S)$$

$\perp \pi \text{ fact}$ ,  $\text{Teich} \xrightarrow{j} \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}_+^S)$

$S \xrightarrow{k} \text{im}(k) \text{ - rational pts. in bdy}$

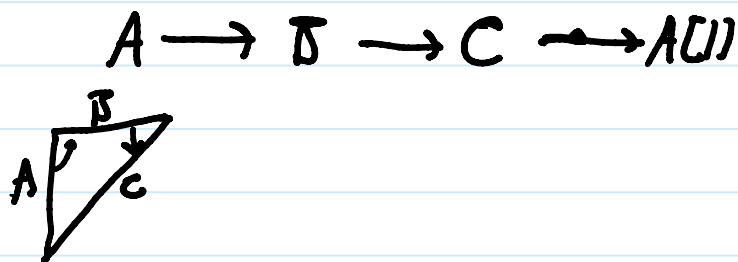
Thurston compactification:  $\overline{\text{im}(j)} = \text{im}(j) \cup \overline{\text{im}(k)}$

$\Gamma(\mathbb{Z}) \curvearrowright \overline{\text{Teich}} = \text{Teich} \cup \text{PMF}$   
 obtained via considering  $\uparrow$  as functions on  $\mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}_+^S)$

IMPORTANT PTS

- 1)  $\text{Teich}$  maps homeomorphically onto its image
- 2)  $\overline{\text{Teich}}$  is a closed f.d. Euclidean ball
- 3)  $\Gamma(\mathbb{Z})$  acts p. linearly on the bdy PMF.  
piecewise

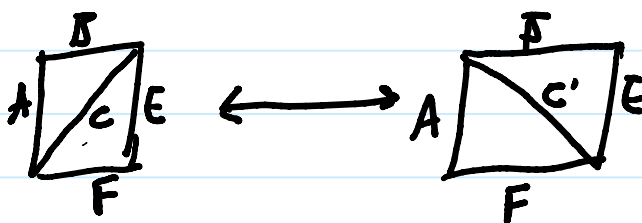
Triangulated cat-s are "2-diml" (Dyk-Kapranov)



Octahedral axiom



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Replace  $\Gamma(\Sigma)$  with  $\text{Aut}(T)$   $\leftarrow$  triang. cat-y

Important  $\text{Teich} \leadsto \text{Stab}(T)$ -moduli space of Bridgeland stability conditions

### Stability conditions on $T$

A stability condition on  $T$ ,  $\sigma \in \text{Stab}(T)$  specifies

(1) (Semi-)stable objects  $\{E_2\}$

To each object  $\sigma$  assign: mass  $m(E_2) \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$   
 phase:  $\phi(E_2) \in \mathbb{R}$

Fix  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $m_t(E_2) = m(E_2) e^{i\pi t \phi(E_2)}$

(2) Every object  $X \in T$  has a canonical Harder-Narasimhan filtration

Important  $A \begin{array}{c} B \\ \diagdown \\ C \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} m(A) \\ \text{"} \\ |m_t(A)| \leq |m_t(B)| + |m_t(C)| \end{array}$



Important  $A \vee C \Rightarrow |m_t(A)| \leq |m_t(B)| + |m_t(C)|$

Shifting doesn't change mass, phase mass by 1.

Bridgeland  $\rightarrow$  moduli space of stability conditions  
 $\text{Stab}(T)$  - a complex manifold

$\text{Aut}(T) \curvearrowright \text{Stab}(T)$  continuously

Contractible  
 in all cases that  
 have been computed

e.g.  $T = \text{2CY cat-ty assoc. to ADE quiver}$   
 $\downarrow$   
 cluster category?  $\text{Stab}(T)$  is on  
 open Euclidean ball

WANT Compactify  $\text{Stab}(T)$

Let  $S = \{ \text{semistable objects for some stability condition in } T \}$

$\sigma \in \text{Stab}(T), t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\sigma \mapsto f_\sigma : S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$f_\sigma(X) = m^\sigma(X)$$

f not stable  
 add HN  
 constituents

$$\text{Stab}(T) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{>0}^S \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}^S)$$

(jnt w/ A. Bapat - Deepak)

$$\dots \rightarrow \text{Stab}(T) \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}^S) \rightarrow \dots$$

Propose  $\overline{\text{Stab}(T)} = \overline{\text{im}(\text{Stab}(T))} \in \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^J)$

Expectations (Conjecture for 2CY catv and to ADL quad)

$\overline{\text{Stab}(T)}$  is a closed Euclidean ball

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 $\text{Stab}(T) \hookrightarrow \text{sphere}$

WTF is this?

Some ptv (for  $T=2\text{-CY cat-v}$  of ADL quad)  
so  $S = \{\text{spherical objects}\}$

$E \in S$  gives a functor

$E \mapsto (f_E: \mathcal{Y} \mapsto \text{dim}(\text{Hom}(E, \mathcal{Y})))$

$\mathbb{D}$  (prop. dg)

these belong to that weird sphere